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MEDICINAL.

CURIOUS CUCKOO.

The cuckoo is generally known only as a bird with a very monotonous note; a continuous cry of "cuckoo, cuckoo" over and over again. Among naturalists, however, the cuckoo is known as a bird that never builds a nest for itself, but takes advantage of one already built by some more industrious bird.

There is a good deal of the cuckoo about these advertisers who, instead of making a success of their own, seek to profit by the success which some one else has made with much effort and labor. It is so with these imitations of Dr. Pierce's methods, by which free medical advice is offered, although those who make the offer are without qualified medical ability or experience. And the cry raised in some cases of "woman, woman, woman write to woman" makes the resemblance to the cuckoo even stronger.

There is as far as known no qualified woman physician connected with any proprietary medicine establishment, and none therefore competent to give medical advice. It is certain that there is no one, man or woman, who can offer free medical advice backed by such knowledge and experience as is possessed by Dr. R. V. Pierce, chief consulting physician to the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y. For over thirty years Dr. Pierce has made a specialty of the treatment of diseases peculiar to women. In that time he has treated over half-a-million women, ninety-eight per cent. of whom have been perfectly cured. Every sick woman is invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter absolutely without charge or cost. Every letter is held as strictly private and sacredly confidential, and all answers are mailed securely sealed in perfectly plain envelopes bearing no printing whatever upon them.

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GOVERNOR'S PROCLAMATION.

Commonwealth of Virginia.
Governor's Office,
January 13, 1900.
I have been more or less troubled with indigestion, but since the use of Otterburn Lithia Water for over a month have been greatly relieved and I think it principally due to the efficacy of the water. I cheerfully recommend it.

J. HOGE TYLER,
Superintendent of Public Instruction says:
"I desire to bear testimony to the great value of the Otterburn Lithia Water of Amelia county. In my own person I have found this water very beneficial in indigestion and constipation."

JOSEPH W. SOUTHWELL, M. D.
Dr. George Ben. Johnston, says:
"I use it in gonorrhea, rheumatism, dyspepsia, lithemia, and all forms of renal and bladder troubles. I prescribe no mineral water so freely as the Otterburn."

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"Several of my cases of kidney trouble have improved more rapidly under the use of the Otterburn Water than Bethesda or Buffalo Lithia."

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WM. H. TAYLOR, M. D.,
State Chemist.

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WM. M. SMITH, M. D.
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The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news or any information or business can be sent by telephone.
[Entered at the Postoffice at Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.]

A HEINOUS CHARGE.—A girl twelve years old, and soon to become a mother, was a witness in the police court on Saturday on Saturday against her stepfather, George N. Rice, and a young man, William Falland, charged with her ruin. The girl declared that her stepfather was guilty, and that William Falland was the author of her terrible wrong. A bench warrant was issued charging Falland with criminal assault, and he was sent to the grand jury. There was no violence claimed on his part, but under the Virginia law at this little girl's age is death. There are serious suspicions against the stepfather, and he was held. Falland admitted to the detectives that he was the guilty one, but later stated that his admission was part of a conspiracy between the girl, her mother and George N. Rice, her stepfather, to shield the latter, and that Rice was the culprit. It is believed that other evidence will appear, and that the girl is under duress. She was sent by the court to the city hospital for medical attention at the proper time.

PHILIP NORDLUND SENTENCED.—The trial of Philip Nordlund, who, May 17 last, as the steamer Prince Carl, on which he was a passenger, was passing Quickand, murdered seven men and wounded five others, a woman and a boy, after which he escaped in a boat to Koping, and who was captured the following day at Eskilstavarna, fifty-seven miles west of Stockholm, was concluded in that city on Saturday, and resulted in the prisoner being convicted and sentenced to death.

Shortly after his arrest Nordlund confessed that he had deliberately planned the crimes, and that he had stolen 800 kronor from the captain of the steamer. He expressed regret that he had not killed every one on board the Prince Carl, emphatically denied that he was insane and asserted that he committed the crimes in order to "avenge himself on mankind."

PRAYERS CAUSE A ROW.—Henry Gotte, a farmer living near Greeley, Pa., attacked his wife and daughter because he was balked in his desire to read prayers at the dinner table.

The daughter protested against her father's saying that they were of no use as cursing and swearing and quarrels always ensued afterward. This made Gotte angry, and he attacked the women with a fork. Mrs. Gotte's hand was penetrated by the fork, after which she made her escape from the house and ran to the home of a neighbor, closely followed by Gotte, who tried to wreak vengeance upon her with a pitchfork.

Afterward the woman went to Milford and had a warrant sworn out for her arrest. When it was served the man had returned more than his customary meekness and was lodged in jail without difficulty. He was some time later released on bail.

A CHILD WITH A TAIL.—An example of the rare abnormality of a caudal appendage in the human subject was shown by Dr. Watson at a recent meeting of the Johns Hopkins Hospital Medical Society, at Baltimore, in a male child 3 months old. The appendage, which was two inches and a quarter long, sprang from the situation of the tip of the coccyx, but seemed to contain no bone or cartilage. When the child cried, the tail shrank half an inch in length by a sort of "telescoping" retraction of the distal portion. This is of especial interest as it illustrates an example of human reversion usually only observed in creatures lower in the organic scale.

An Epidemic of Diarrhoea.
Mr. A. Sanders, writing from Cocconut Grove, Fla., says there has been quite an epidemic of diarrhoea there. He had a severe attack and was cured by four doses of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. He says he also recommended it to others and they say it is the best medicine they ever used. For sale by all druggists.

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An unusually fine lot of Ladies' Percale Waists with all-over tucked front and back and Dewey collar—in smart stripes and pretty checks. Every garment bright, new and interesting from any point of view. They fit most perfectly, and are a wonder at .49c

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Wash Skirts Worth Up to \$5, 85c.

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One lot of Warner's Corsets—in summer weight and cut—double strap—highly boned—well strapped—lace trimmed—short and long lengths. 75c without parallel—for every vest is worth 10c. Our price, 5c.

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M. Ruben & Sons,
601 KING STREET.

SALE OF STOCK AND BONDS.

I will sell at public auction, for cash, on TUESDAY, July 10, 1900, at 10 o'clock a. m. in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, Alexandria, Va., the following stocks and bonds, viz:
40 shares of First National Bank of Alexandria, Va., stock.
2 1/2 shares Alexandria Water Co. Stock.
\$1800 Va. Midland Railway 6 per cent. Bonds, due March 1, 1911.
JAMES E. CATON,
Adm'r'd. b. n. c. t. a. John P. Emerson, dec'd.
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VALUABLE BUSINESS PROPERTY TO BE SOLD TO SETTLE AN ESTATE.

In order to settle the estate of the late John Laphan, the following property is offered at private sale, and if not previously disposed of will be sold at public auction on
SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1900,
at 12 o'clock noon; viz:
THE TWO-STORY BRICK STORE and DWELLING, No. 124 north Royal street; nine rooms; slate roof; dry cellar; brick stable with slate roof in rear.
Also FOUR LOTS on the east side of Alfred street, between Wythe and Madison streets; 14 feet 2 inches by 123 feet 5 inches each.
Terms of Sale: One-third cash, and the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months from date of sale; the purchaser to give his note for the deferred payments, which are to bear interest from day of sale at six per cent. per annum and secured by deed of trust upon the property; or, at the option of the purchaser, all cash. All cost of conveying to be paid by the purchaser.
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Just received a new lot of Covert Cloths, in all the most desirable shades.

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2 pairs for 25c.

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